

SALOON MAN DIES WHILE AT PRAYER

Veteran Philadelphia Bar Proprietor Was Noted for His Scruples.

INSISTED ON TEMPERANCE

Widely Known for His Charity and as a Democrat of the Old School.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 25.—With a prayer in his heart, Hugh Kenney, friend of the poor, old-line Democrat, best known and probably most scrupulous of Philadelphia saloonkeepers, died suddenly of heart disease shortly after midnight yesterday morning in his home, 200 Richmond street.

The end came with a shock to Mrs. Kenney, who was the only person in the house when her husband was stricken, and to his son and four daughters, who were in Atlantic City. In accordance with his lifelong custom, he had knelt in prayer beside his bed, when the first twinge made him wince. He finished the prayers, and told his wife of the pain. She hurried to the home of Dr. Joseph A. Moore, but before that physician could give relief Mr. Kenney was dead.

He bore his seventy years bravely to the very moment of death. Life had brought to him a sane philosophy, a charity for human weaknesses and a sympathy that found expression in acts of severe charity that brightened hundreds of homes during his years of prosperity and illness.

He Advocated Temperance.

More than any saloonkeeper within the knowledge of the successful license courts, he realized the responsibilities of his business, and personally directed the conduct of his saloon. He insisted upon his customers being temperate.

Kenney took out his forty-first successive license last spring, and in the period covered by these grants he never sold a drop of adulterated liquor. Many physicians of the northeastern section, when they prescribed alcoholic stimulants, sent their orders to Kenney rather than to drug stores.

The saloon is in the heart of the great shipbuilding and manufacturing district embraced in ancient Fishtown and the lower part of Richmond. Seven saloons are within a radius of one block of his place, and all the others provide free lunch and extra attractions for the workers, but Kenney, without them, did almost as much business as all the others combined.

Was a Loyal Democrat.

Before moving to the Eighteenth ward he was the Democratic leader of the Sixteenth ward. Samuel Randall and Lewis C. Cassaday, the chief leaders he followed in the old days, and both men were his warm personal friends. Since their death he has followed with unflinching loyalty and admiration the leadership of former Judge James Gay Gordon.

Residents of the Sixteenth, Seventeenth, and Eighteenth wards throughout the house yesterday afternoon and far into the night. The friends of Kenney say the concourse which will attend the funeral will exceed in numbers that which has attended the funeral of any layman in Richmond.

The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock on Friday morning. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated in the Catholic Church of the Immaculate Conception, Front and Canal streets.

SELLS HIS CHILD FOR FIFTY CENTS

Father Irrevocably Deeds His Daughter of Eight to a Gypsy.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—How a girl, eight years old, was sold to a gypsy for fifty cents was the tale told in the High Court when Albert Wood, a boy of eleven, and his sister, Martha Ellen, were charged with stealing three hens from a pheasantry, and three ducks.

Gypsies like to acquire children who know how to steal, because if they are caught, the gypsy owners can say that they are not their children, but have been fostered upon them. Therefore Mrs. Rose Lovell, a gypsy woman, went to see George Albert Wood, at Skewen, and the result of the negotiations was that 50 cents changed hands and the father wrote this letter:

"I do give to Mrs. Rose Lovell in her care and to be answerable for her care for good, and I don't want to take her back again after she has been clothed and dressed, and I don't sign my name never to take her back again, and she is to ride (sic) to me once a month to let me know how she is getting on. I have signed my hand this day, July 26, 1906, never to have her back again."

KIDNAPED BOY RETURNS: WAS LOST EIGHT YEARS

CALUMET, Mich., Aug. 25.—Kidnaped eight years and all hopes of his recovery given up, John Piche, fourteen years old, returned to his home at Dollar Bay today. His parents never expected to see him again, believing he had been drowned.

Young Piche was passing through Portage Lake on a steamer, and, hearing a passenger talking about the strange disappearance of a child at Dollar Bay, made inquiries. Finding the case resembled his own in some respects, he took a train to Dollar Bay, where he found his mother. His father is dead.

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—From the Philadelphia North American.



Pittsburg Phil's Heir Sued by Spanish Girl

Nephew of Famous of Racehorse Plunger Haled to Court to Answer Damage Claim of \$50,000 for Breach of Promise.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 25.—Miss Estelle Frances del Pozo, a beautiful Spanish girl, has entered suit for \$50,000 damages for alleged breach of promise of James C. McGill, nephew and heir of the late "Pittsburg Phil," George Smith, of Pittsburg, the race track plunger. McGill, who is reputed to be worth \$250,000, recently came here from New York with his wife and purchased a handsome home on Capitol Hill.

Astonishing disclosures of the methods of McGill and his uncle, "Pittsburg Phil," in their operations on the turf

IRVING SIMPSON, "FAKER KING," TELLS TALE OF HIS SUCCESS

Started Twenty-eight Years Ago, Peddling Knives in the Streets of Philadelphia, and Has Accumulated a Fortune.

Irving J. Simpson, the "Faker King," is in Washington. Dressed as a man of wealth should be, and with the grace of a Chesterfield, the man who originated the faker idea sat upon a leather lounge in the lobby of the Willard last night, and between puffs of a fragrant Havana gave an interesting recital of his career.

Just twenty-eight years ago Simpson, then a half-clad newsboy running about the streets of Philadelphia, walked into the store of a merchant on Chestnut street and asked for a job. The lad was turned down. With poverty staring him in the face, an idea came into his mind—the idea of peddling things on the streets and catching the country visitor who comes to town to spend his money.

Sold Knives on Streets. "In those days it was something unheard of for a person to peddle merchandise about the streets," he remarked. "I saw something in it and pushed it. I first began by selling pocket knives. I struck a lucky streak and could afford to sell the knife for half the price at which it was sold elsewhere. The result was that those who stopped and purchased my wares got a bargain and I made money hand over fist. The first day I began peddling I earned 50 cents. My profits steadily increased and my goods sold like hot cakes."

In such a manner the faker trade started, a business which today gives employment to hundreds of men and represents an invested capital of several hundred thousand dollars. Simpson has



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CLINGS TO CAR AXLE DOWN MOUNTAIN SIDE

Brakeman's Presence of Mind Saves Him From Being Crushed to Death.

ALTOONA, Pa., Aug. 25.—Rare presence of mind and remarkable grit saved the life of Samuel Thompson, a young Pennsylvania brakeman, who has been in service only a few days. Late last night Thompson was standing on a box car, when the bursting of an air hose brought the train to a stop and hurled him to the tracks.

Before he had recovered from the shock the train started and passed over his body. Thompson grasped an axle, and, hanging fast, was carried rapidly down the mountain slope from South Fork, with nothing but his precarious grasp separating him from death.

He screamed lustily, and attracted the attention of several trainmen, who succeeded in getting the train stopped. When taken from under the cars Thompson was exhausted and almost unconscious. He was brought to the Altoona Hospital, and will be all right in a day or two.

GIRLS KILL WOLF; PAIR THEIR WEAPON

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Aug. 25.—With no weapon except a wooden pail, two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. Olsen, who live on a farm in Bonhomme county, killed a wolf.

The girls were gathering berries. They were followed by their two dogs. While passing along a road, which was skirted by timber, the dogs discovered and attacked a huge wolf.

It soon demonstrated that it was more than a match for both dogs. Notwithstanding the danger, one of the girls approached near enough to deal the wolf a number of blows on the head with the pail.

This partially stunned it, and before it could recover it was killed. The dogs were badly bitten, but their lives were saved.

MEANEST MAN SCORED FOR STINTING HIS WIFE

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Albert Puttmann, forty-five years old, a saloonkeeper, of 107 St. Ann's avenue, the Bronx, was arraigned in the Westchester court on a charge of non-support. His wife, Margaret, told the court that Puttmann allowed her twenty-four cents per day to support herself and her six children.

"What a grand man you are!" said Magistrate Finn. "What a big hearted man."

"Well, your honor, she drinks," said Puttmann, rather sheepishly.

"That's the limit," interrupted the magistrate. "I'm not order you to pay your wife ten dollars a week, and if you don't I'll send you to the jail where you belong."

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WIRED POLICE TO STOP SUICIDE

Kansas City Man Notifies New York That Widow Anticipated Ending Life.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Zella Goodyear, of 138 West Forty-ninth street, thinks "Jack" Stewart, a wealthy merchant of Kansas City, is "ninety proof."

Mrs. Goodyear is a widow, and she and Mr. Stewart have been close friends for some time. Recently the merchant, it is said, became interested in a West-end woman, and friends of the widow said he did not care for her any more. To prove their mistake, some one sent a telegram to the Kansas man, telling him that at a certain hour Mrs. Goodyear would end her life by shooting.

Within an hour after the message went over the wires, the police of the West Forty-seventh street station were called up from Chicago and told to hurry around to the home of Mrs. Goodyear to prevent her shooting herself. Mystified as to the manner in which Chicago would hear of a shooting in New York before the local authorities the police determined to investigate, and a detective was sent to the house.

"Goodness, no, she ain't shot," said the janitress to the detective. Later, when Mrs. Goodyear returned she was interviewed by the detective, to whom she told the story. In the course of which she said: "Jack is certainly ninety proof. He certainly could not have got the police in action quicker if he had been on Broadway."

POLICEMAN STUDIES STARS THROUGH NEW TELESCOPE

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—John MacDonald, a policeman attached to the Wakefield police station, at 23rd street and White Plains avenue, spends his spare time at night in the cupola which surmounts the station, making observations of the heavenly bodies, instead of joining his comrades at dominoes.

Up to this week he has had an old telescope of ordinary power, but last Monday he displayed a new and powerful instrument and hopes soon to take his place in the ranks of those who have discovered new stars.

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WEALTHY NEW YORKER PLANS BIG LIBRARY

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NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Concealing his identity for the present, a wealthy resident of New York has just volunteered to supply several thousands of dollars for the purpose of leasing and equipping adequate quarters, including a lecture room and library and complete laboratory, to be used by the New York Institute for Physical Research. This statement is made by H. Spencer Lewis, of 252 West 148th street, assistant editor of a magazine called Modern Miracles, and an instructor in the Metropolitan Institute of Science.

"Our purpose," said Mr. Lewis, "is to submit all phenomena of a so-called supernatural order to the closest scientific scrutiny. We hope to develop among our members some who will be capable of hypnotic power and through them to study and test every phase of that subject. We shall invite spiritualists 'mediums' to give evidences of the power they claim in our lecture hall and under conditions which will eliminate entirely the possibility of fraud. Thorough scientific investigation of psychical matters is our only aim. We do not propose to endorse or advertise anybody."

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